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THAW AT LIBERTY; **ELUDES OFFICERS** 

Slaver of Stanford White Advises His Mother in a Letter That He Will Go to the Thaw Summer Home Near Pittsburg After He Takes "A Rest"

# PENNSYLVANIA OFFICIALS THREATEN ARREST

Mother of Fugitive Declares That She Will Consult Attorneys Regarding Various Phases of Her Son's Case-Evelyn Thaw Expresses Deep Fear of Husband and Retains an Armed Guard-Eye Witness Tells of Dramatic Scene at the Matteawan Asylum During the Escape

Whether the slayer

Canadian border.

paper men told them.

tection.

Evelyn Says He is Dangerous.

Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, lamenting

way outside were two cars.

"'There goes Harry Thaw,' I shout-

Cannot be Extradited.

Lawyers seem to be unanimous in

a matter of conjecture, the theory be-

37 miles from the Connecticut line,

and the mysterious high-powered car

The machine

tom of the hill

sight."

White boarded a yacht off South Nor-

yesterday afternoon of a yellow fun-

neled craft-had not been borne out

walk, Conn -a theory advanced by

New York, Aug. 18 .- Harry K. | criminal insane had established this Thaw, fugitive slayer of Stanford forenoon little beyond the fact that had had 31 hours of liberty up to 3 o'clock this afternoon and New York, in the opinion of those same at the time is "not guilty the only word concerning him since qualified to speak, had slim chance reason of insanity," according to the his sensational escape from Mattea of extraditing him wan was a letter to his mother, written by himself. Even this did not disclose his whereabouts but said laconically that all was well and that Thaw after "a rest" planned to and Thaw and his conspirators travel- tradited. go to the Thaw country place, Elm-burst, at Cresson, near Pittsburg. Ing by automobile more than sixty Some lawyers point out that if it miles an hour, reaching Connecticut could be shown that Thaw had bribed Meanwhile, wherever he is resting, was a matter of thirty minutes or any state official to ald him in the less. Cresson, near Pittsburg.

Rumors sprouted and flourished throughout the day but all that is certain is that Thaw disappeared in a cloud of dust early yesterday head. the presence and sailing from there ed for the Connecticut state line in high power automobile. That he boarded a yacht in Long Island sound, probably near south Norwalk, was the favorite among the theories advanced by confirmation of this was lacking.

If Thaw enters Pennsylvania, his letter forecasts, the state officials according to today's despatches from Harrisburg, will refer the matter to the attorney general's office in the event New York seeks his extradi-

Mrs. Thaw, the mother, said this afternoon that she will commend whatever course her son takes. However, she will consult with counsel, relative to his entering Pennsylvania. She continued to optnly rejoice at his escape, which she smilingly de-scribed as a "neat piece of work."

Evelyn Nesbit Thaw again professed to be afraid of her husband and predicted that he would head straight for New York if inflamed by liquor. The Thaw family appreciated she said, and were worried notwithstanding their declarations of

At Poughkeepsie, Howard H. Barnum, the keeper by whom Thaw darted to liberty, was arraigned on a charge of bribery and neglect of duty. Warrants were issued for the five men instrumental in the get-A description of one of these men, Richard Butler, tallies with that of a former state assemblyman of the same name from New York City. as to whether Htrry can be Pennsylvania, I shall consult coun-the machiner sel," Mrs. Thaw said this afternoon out of order. don't want Harry to jeopardize himself by coming to Elmhurst. I out They opened both side doors of want him to come there under circumstances that will not detract from handkerchief to a man who was lean-thank. Harry Thaw was to receive not mar his happiness while there."

Mrs. Thaw Receives Note.

Thaw, who escaped from Matteawan seat

York. August 17, 12 p. m., station O." hear Hickey urge his horse ahead filed in court, the remainder of his line on a long slip of paper was and then saw him drive through the estate now amounts to \$443,342.71. Thaw's communication written in gateway. pencil. It ran as follows:

Shall take a rest be- ed out of the window as I saw Thaw fore going to Elmhurst, as I might slip past the milk wagon and out of be asked for interviews and don't the yard.
wish to refuse, yet do not care to "The two men caught Thaw by make any statements. Hope M and both arms and dragged him into the G (Mr. and Mrs. George Lauder Car- automobile, which by that time was negle) arrive safe and that you will already under way. seemed to jump down the hill and to

"Have sent a short note to the the corner, where it shot out of

The fugitive had apparently intended sending the foregoing by telegraph as a night letter, for it was so mark-ed. He changed his mind, however, dom and he will probably never be and gave it to some one to mail for confined again within the jurisdiction Whoever did this addressed it of the New York authorities in ink, in a scrawly, unlettered hand. have held him since he killed Stan-In giving out the letter, Mrs. Thaw ford White in this city on the night explained that it was her son's hand-writing and for that reason she knew escape from the State hospital for that it had come from him. She add- the criminal insane at Matteawan dured that she did not know where he ing the milkman's visit early yesterwas today or just when he would go day is believed to have placed him to Cresson.

outside of the state, where he is a "However, I shall leave New York free man, unless the authorities for Elmhurst at 9:25 o'clock tomor- the place to which he has fled deem row morning," she added. him a madman. "Then you think your son regards himself safe in Pennsylvania?" she the opinion that there is positively no hope for the extradition of Thaw

was asked "I am not a mind reader," smiled if he were found in any other state. Mrs. Thaw, "but I approve of what- His whereabouts today was altogether ever he thinks best. The escape was a complete surprise to me and, while ing, however, that he is on board a a rather high-handed piece of work, I yacht or else still in hiding in New say that it was exceedingly England. nest. I am, of course, delighted."

Slim Chance to Capture.

New York, Aug. 18.—Harry K. crossed well within an hour, or half that time. from the Mattewan asylum for the The police of every city and village aided Thaw in his get-away.

within 500 milles of New York were promptly notified of Thaw's escape. has been no return of anything like definite information as to Thaw's movements after the automobile was seen at Stormville, 13 miles east of Matteawan. There were reports that a similar car had been seen at Brewster, close to the Connecticut line, heading in the direction of Danbury, but on the state line it seemed as though the earth had engulfed the

The only other trace was a vague report that a party of three men was seen to alight from two automobiles at Roten Point, near South Norwalk, Conn., at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon and board a yacht which later steamed into Long Island Sound. It is not a common incident for yachts to anchor off Roten Point and for that reason yesterday's occurrence attracted more than ordinary attention,

The beliefs that Thaw is altogether safe from extradition are backed officially in many quarters, including a prenouncement by District Attorns Charles S. Whitman, who telegraphed as follows from Bretton Woods, N. H., in answer to an inquiry

"Thaw was acquitted and there is no indictment pending against him New York. He cannot be extra-

It is a coincidence that the New York State Bar association is now contending for a modification of the verdict in such cases as Thaws. The statutory verdict in the case of a person who has committed murder he had escaped and that the state of and who is proved to have been in-That he is beyond the borders of been vigorously pressing for a statuthe state was regarded as certain tory verdict such as "guilty but in-With the Connecticut state line but sane," as is provided for in foreign thirty miles from the asylum walls countries. Such a person can be ex

### Recalls Chanler Case.

New York, Aug. 18.-The escape of Harry K. Thaw from Matteawan. on the other hand, no authen-the case, recalled the flight of John ticated trace of Thaw had been found A. Chanler from the Bloomingdale in Connecticut nor were there clues asylum in 1900. Chanler, who has of his having sped on toward the since changed his name to Chaloner is free and living at his home in Vir If he is found, the New York au- ginia.

thorities, it was said, might try to force his extradition on one of two committed to the Bloomingdale asyl-grounds. First, that in escaping he um at White Plains in 1897. A year technically assaulted a keeper; sec-ond, that bribery of some attache of asylum declared him to be a paranoithe asylum could be shown. Either ac and incurable. A year after his of these, if sustained, would constitute an extraditable offense. In New York, Mrs. Mary Copley New York, however, he is still beld Thaw, mother of the fugitive, con- to be insane and his escape in that to be insane and his escape in that tinued today to receive visitors at her state from which he receives an in-hotel apartments, to all of whom she come of \$105,770 a year, is adminis-expressed her unfeigned joy at her tered by Thomas Sherman. Chaloner expressed her unfeigned joy at her son's escape, meantime indignantly has not been in New York since his denying that the Thaw family had escape from Bloomingdale. He was the first husband of Amelle Rives, any hint of the matter until newswho is now Princess Troubetskey

# Share of Thaw Estate,

Pittsburg Aug 18-It munity and applied for police pro- known here today, that the Orphans oction.

One of the clearest accounts of cide during the September term Thaw's escape comes from Mrs. Whether Harry K Thaw is to receive the income from his father's estate, wan. She was standing in the laun-which since 1908, has been accumudry tower, overlooking the yard. Be- lating in the vaults of the Fidelity low she noticed Thaw; on the road- Title and Trust company of Pitts-

way outside were two cars.
"I stayed at the window longer than usual," she relates, "because I from the trust company and Judge J. e same name from New York City. noticed a fine big touring car at the J. Miller of the Orphans' court grant"In order to relieve my mind of all bottom of Lowery's hill, and I saw ed a rule on the trust company to another automobile right close to the show cause why the money should brought back to New Pork from Pennsylvania, I shall consult counter machinery and I thought it was swered it was willing to pay the money if the court should so order. "Then I noticed two big men step and the matter went over until the

pleasure of his visit-that will ing against the open car at the bot- \$2400 a year with the provision that m of the hill if the executors decided he showed "Thaw suddenly walked over to the capacity for management, he should gate and I saw Hickey's milk wagon be paid one-fourth of the share of New York, Aug. 18.—Mrs. Mary coming up the hill. Mr. Hickey was the estate that would otherwise have driving slowly. As he stopped in day a letter from her son, Harry K. front of the gate he climbed from his gave him \$144,625, the one-fourth, and the trust company paid him the asylum for the criminal insane early "The milk man walked over to the come from the remainder until 1908, yesterday. Thaw said he planned to bell button and the next moment I when, Thaw declared to the court 'take a rest" before going to the heard the big gong ring. Then I saw through his counsel, payment was Thaw country place, Elmhurst, at Cresson, Pa.

The dear against the gate post as stopped. This accumulated income Guard Barnum drew back the lock now amounts to \$160,780 and, accord-The letter was postmarked "New and pushed the door open. I could ing to the trust company's report

# Explodes the Yacht Theory.

seen off South Norwalk, Conn., yes-then proceeding for possession of terday, was identified today as the Purple mountain. Government troops Kathmal II, the property of Robert T. Fowler, a New York carpet dealer reinforce the beseigers. A steady ar-Mr. Fowler said that he had passed tillery duel was proceeding between Norwalk in the craft about the time rebels on Lion hill and the northernreported yesterday but he was amused and amazed to know that this in- wan, a suburb of Nanking, had taken cident had been connected in any refuge on warships out of line of way with Thaw's escape.

# Will Arrest Thaw

Philadelphia, Aug. 18.-In the event Harry K. Thaw is found within the confines of Philadelphia, the police of this city will be ordered to de tain him to await the action of the New York authorities. This was decided on today at a conference be-tween Andrew S. Murphy, assistant director of the department of public safety and Superintendent Robinson of the police department of this city

# Barnum Faces Charge.

Poughkeepsle, N. Y., Aug. 18 .-Howard Barnum, the Matteawan at tendant who opened the gate through which Harry K. Thaw escaped yesterday, was arraigned before Suprem Court Justice Morschauser at Pough keepsie today, on a warrant charging him with bribery. He asked for coun-The Matteawan asylum is sel and the hearing was delayed from the Connecticut line, pending the arrival of a lawyer. Barnum was reticent but continued stout which carried Thaw away probably ly to assert his innocence.

Warrants were issued at Pough-keepsle today for the five men who

Mother and Four Children Were Probably Killed By Father, Whom Officers Removed to a Hospital in Dying Condition-No Motive For Crime

New York, Aug. 18 .- The bodies of Mrs. Mary Lake and her four children, Horace, 17: Walter, 8: Stella, 18, and Dorothy, 14, were found stark naked in their Brooklyn home today, horribly mangled. Besides them dying, was the husband and father, Henry Lake, a restaurant chef. Apparently he had killed all five, then fatally wounded himself

The tragedy occurred as early as last Thursday, possibly Wednesday. Odors from the rooms aroused neigh bors and at their request the police broke in.

The bodies of the mother and the wo boys lay on the bed. The girls were stretched on the floor. All had been shot and several of the bodies bore evidences of having ben rpatdly slashed with a knife

In a corner, huddled in a pool of blood, with a gaping wound in his head, was Lake. He was in a semiconscious condition and could only numble inchorently.

The room was a wreck. Furniture vas overturned and the walls were treaked with blood.

Lake was rushed to a hospital. where physicians said he could not live. According to his neighbors he was a kind father, not given to excessive drinking. The police are at a loss to fix a motive for the crime. He was about 45 years old and his wife was about 40

Canton, China, Is Scene of Operations of Pirates and Assassins —Conditions Terrible in the Native Sections

Hong Kong, Aug. 18.—The federal general Lung Chi Kuang, who is Jresident Yuan Shi Kai's candidate for governor of Canton, disembarked from a government gunboat at Hong Kong Saturday to take charge of the

Guerrilla fighting, in which the rebels are being alded by pirates, is proceeding against the government troops some miles beyond Canton. The guerrillas are principally bent

upon looting. On one corner of a street in Canton the bodies of 64 persons killed in the fighting Friday were round. All the men wore new uniforms.

The red cross has been unable to reach the zone of fighting in Canton, where frightful conditions are reported to exist among the wounded owing to the great heat.

The governor's Yamen, which was destroyed during the fighting, was the scene of wanton vandalism. The Seattle for Skagway. the scene of wanton vandalism. The furnishings, such as vases, blackwood screens and other articles, were taken to the streets and smasned, while stationary objects which could not be removed, were battred to pieces alive when picked up on a raft, but by guns. Near the Yamen, a Chinese she dled from exposure. woman dressed in silks and having large pearls in her ears, was sel striking an unchartered rock. She had been shot through the head.

The treasury building, which was damaged by shells, was looted. Wholesale lootings at Canton are taking place daily.

# Foreigners Seek Refuge.

Shanghai, Aug. 18.—Advices re-ceived from Nanking under date of New York. Aug. 18.—The yacht last Friday say a sharp struggle was from Chin Kiang were hurrying up to tillery duel was proceeding between ers at Pukow. Foreigners in Hsiak-

# **BURGLARS'** RICH HAUL

Gain Entrance to Newport Store and Secure \$10,000 worth of Loot \_Overlook \$100,000 in Their Hurry

Newport, R. I., Aug. 18.—Burglars who entered the Hermann Jewelry who entered the Hermann Jewelry store here some time after the place was closed Saturday night, obtained jewels and silverware valued at about

four show cases which were arranged call of Sheriff J. S. Grisham. The in the form of a horseshoe. The robbery was discovered when the store responsibility for the killing of Gershowed that the missing pieces in-cluded twelve dozen stick pins, two guards. diamond brooches and a number of

small pieces. In front of a safe, which stands at the back of the store, were found three large jimmles, a woolen quilt, which might be used to deaden the sound of an explosion, and two suit cases. The police think that the burglars had only begun operations when

Plucky Little Woman Leads into Town a Burro Packing the Body of Her Husband Who Was Killed in

Grizzly Gulch, Cal., Aug. 18-A tired ttle woman leading a burro with a lopsided pack came down the mountains into this camp today and in no time at all was transfigured into a pitiful heroine. Every man in the street helped to undo the hitches which fastened a plank coffin to the burro's pack-saddle and take it into where the little woman, who had not wept at all, cried her heart out over the body of her husband.

Her name, she presently told her new friends, was Mary Stribling. Her husband, P. T. Stribling, a prospector, was killed, and his partner was badly hurt, last Friday, in a cave-in on their claim. She made the injured man as comfortable as she could, put some provisions, where he could reach them, and then built the coffin around her husband's body and succeeded in getting it on the burro's back. She walked 24 hours with hardly a stop to reach Grizzly Gulch where her husband might be buried with suitable rites.

Aid has been sent to the injured

Pacific Coast Steamship Company's Vessel and Cargo a Total Loss —Number of Victims Going Down With Boat Unknown at in the contest. Present

Seattle, Wash, Aug. 18.—The steamship State of California of the Pacific Coast Steamship company, is a total loss in Gambler bay, Stephens Passage , Alexander Archipelago, Alaska.

Mrs. E. C. Ward, wife of the assistant manager of the company, and her daughter perished. Vessel and cargo Seven members of the crew also

lost their lives. Miss Lillie B. Ward, daughter of The tragedy resulted from the ves-

# COLORADO **SITUATION**

Federation Meets at Trinidad Following Riot in Which a Mine Worker Is Killed -Bitter Denouncement of Sheriff for Appointing Deputy

Trinidad, Colo., Aug. 18.-Interest today in the labor situation in the southern Colorado coal fields, where a strike of miners is threatened, cenered in the efbforts of State Labor Commissioner Edwin V. Brake to bring about an informal conference between the operators and Frank J Hayes, international vice president of the United Mine Workers of Amer ica, who arrived here last night from Denver.

of the Colorado Federation of Labor opened here this morning with the ton, Jr., a part of lot A. block 6 labor situation in the local fields furnishing the all-absorbing topic of in-

delegates to proceed cautiously in all sideration \$200. matters which might affect in the Chauncy L. Leavitt and wife to Ha-

today. An inventory ald Lippiatti Saturday night, by is-

PIONEER MOTHER STATUE. San Francisco, Aug. 18.—Charles Grafly of Philadelphia has been chosen to model the statue of the Pioneer Mother, which will be the cen tral exhibit of the Fine Arts department of the Panama-Pacific expos

PEACHES BY PARCELS POST Albuquerque, N. M., Aug. 18-What s believed to be a record shipment by parcel post, passed through this city last night, when 204 crates of peaches, in transit from Farmington to Gallup, this state, were transfer red here. The fruit will have travel ed a distance of 1,000 miles when reaches its destination.

Clash of Authority of Sulzer and Glynn Is Hourly Expected

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 18.—The con-flict between William Sulzer and Martin H. Glynn over the governorship of New York continued today A clash of authority was expected late this afternoon at a meeting of the board of trustees of public buildings. The trustees include the governor, lleutenant speaker of the assembly. The board has authority to assign quarters for state officers and departments and is said to have decided to name the assembly parlor on the third floor of the capitol as the temporary offices of the executive in view of governor Sulzer's refusal to vacate the executive suite on the second

Mr. Glynn, as acting governor, Senator Robert F. Wagner, as acting lieutenant governor and Speaker A. E. Smith of the assembly plan to meet as the board of trustees. Governor Sulzer's friends says he has decided to attend today's meeting. Chester C. Platt, Governor Sulzer's secretary, is secretary of the board

No Federal Action. Washington, Aug. 18 .- So far as the federal government is concerned there will be no interference in the Sulzer-Glynn contest in New York

President Wilson told inquirers to day that the question had not come up and recalled that a century ago when there were two contesting governors in Rhode Island and the national administration was called on to decide, the supreme court held that it was the duty of the federal government merely to guarantee a rpublican form of government to the state as prescribed in the constitution and no obligation developed tn the federal government to interfere

Will Recognize Sulzer. Madison, Wis., Aug. 18.—The gov-ernor's conference which meets at Colorado Springs, beginning August 26, will recognize Governor Sulzer of New York, according to Miles Riley, secretary of the conference. Riley said today that an invitation has been sent to Governor Sulzer and that none has been sent to Lieutenant Governor Glynn and that he saw no chance of the conference taking gras. cognizance of the situation.

# MAN FALLS IN A FAINT AND IS **INJURED**

2 o'clock this afternoon when he fell in the F. & F. bar on Twenty-fifth street and struck the sharp moulding along the side of the wall. He was and force a test. removed to the police station where Dr. Claud Wardleigh closed the wound with several stitches.

Wilkins entered the bar and greeted Fred Anderson, one of the proprietors. He had no sooner finished speaking than he straightened out and fell to the floor. When Anderson saw the blood, he secured a towel and cared for the man. The wound bled so profusely, however, that he called a physician and at the same time Patrol man John Russell arrived and suggest ed that the injured man be taken to the station.

When the physician arrived, man was weak from loss of blood, but he bravely withstood the operation of closing the wound.

# Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers have been placed on record in the The eighteenth annual convention county recorder's office:
the Colorado Federation of Labor
W. J. Wright to John E. Creigh.

Consideration \$625. W. G. Wilson and wife to A. E. Mayor Dunlavy in his address of Weatherby, a part of the southeast welcome made no direct reference to the threatened strike, but urged the east of the Salt Lake meridian. Con-

\$10,000 but were frightened away when additional booty worth \$100,000 time.

The burglars picked the lock on the same trades assembly of Trinidad today be
Take meridian. Consideration \$180.

The burglars picked the lock on the same trades assembly of Trinidad today be
Lake meridian. Consideration \$180.

(Additional

# FROM MEXICO

President Wilson and Officials Appear Less Otimistic Over Situation — Rebels Meet Defeat Near Alasolo-Federals Repairing Railroad

Washington, Aug. 18.-Administration officials appeared to be less op-timistic today over the Mexican situation, but still were waiting some word from John Lind which would make possible publication of President Wilson's views already in the hands of the Huertz government. Chairman Bacon, of the senate forign relations committee, conferred with the president.

"At least we have done our duty," said he, when leaving the executive offices. He discussed possible reception of the views of the United States. "We have showed the world our friendly intentions and it will not be our fault if the suggestion are re-

There was an undercurrent of discussion of possible alternatives of which lifting the embargo on arms was one. Mr. Bacon declared that would be done only after all peaceful means had failed.

White House officials intimated the United States would take a deep interest in proper protection for Wil-liam Bayard Hale, President Wilson's friend, who has been sending reports from Mexico. Though Hale has no official status, his presence in Mexico has been hotly attacked by Mexican

Repairing Track and Bridges.
Chihuahua, Mexico, Aug. 18.—(By
Courier to El Paso, Aug. 18.)—Movements south and west by federal troops have started. General Felix Terrazas for the government is moving along the railroad west of here, repairing bridges and encountering small bands of rebels, with much success, according to official information, Movements in the direction of Jiminez

Orozco, it is understood, will look after the northern end from Chihuahua The government is paying its troops

and Parral are said to be contempla-ted by General Mercada. General

in this state regularly. Communication south of Chibpahua City remains interrupted. On the line of the Northwestern communication is open only as far as San Antonio.

Rebels Defeated.

Eagle Pass, Texas, Aug. 18.—Consti-tutionalists were defeated in their three-days' battle with federals last week near Abasolo, about 100 miles south of here in Coahulla. They re-treated Saturday and yesterday, declaring they had not sufficient ammunition to reply to the federal fire. About 7000 men were engaged on both sides

No estimate of killed and wounded has reached here, although several wounded Constitutionalists have been brought to Piedras Negras. Jesus Carranza, brother of the Constitutionalist leader, has gone to the front with reinforcements today.

The result of the federal success seems to be the driving of a wedge northward almost to the center of Carranza's stronghold and this wedge seems designed to separate him from his military capital at Piedras Ne

Carranza for weeks has been in the vicinity of Torreon on the southwest-ern edge of Coahulla, far toward the interior of Mexico.

## CLAYTON'S SEAT IS IN DOUBT

Washington, Aug. 18.—The first ac-tual break in the Democratic opposition to seating Henry D. Clayton, Governor O'Neal's appointee to the senate, succeeding the late Senator Johnston of Alabama, was made today by Senator Robinson of Arkan-Taken with a fainting spell, caused by an old injury, Frank Wilkins sustained an ugly gash on his head at taking the position that the governor taking the g had the power to appoint under the new seventeenth amendment. Clayton was waiting to present his credentials

# TODAY'S GAMES

Dodgers Peat Cardinals.

Brooklyn, Aug. 18 -- (National.)-

Brooklyn Batteries — Doak, Perritt and Hildebrand; Allen and Miller. Glante 5, Pirates 3. New York, Aug. 18.-(National.)-First game:

Pittsburg 3 10 2 New York 5 10 2 Batteries — Camultz Cooper and Gibson; Demaree and McLean. Braves 4, Reds 1. Boston, Aug. 18.—(National.)— First game:

Boston Batteries — Ames and Clarke; Perdue and Rariden. (Called end sixth, rain.) Boston, Aug. 18:-(National.)-Cin-

cinnati-Boston second game post-

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